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Interstate Common Line Support

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This is to certify that The Ottoville Mutual Telephone Company will use its Interstate Common Line Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below:

| Company Name | State | Study Area Code |
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| Ottoville Mutual Telephone Company | OHIO | 300650 |
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